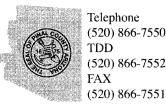
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February 11, 2008

Arizona Secretary of State
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Dear Secretary of State Brewer:

Pursuant to ARS 16-602 Pinal County initiated the hand count of ballots within 24 hours of the February 5, 2008 Presidential Preference Election.

As required by statute the Pinal County Political Party Chairpersons for the Democratic and Republican parties met on February 4<sup>th</sup> and by lot selected the precincts and the race required to be hand counted.

On February 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> the party representatives of the county political parties met and conducted the hand count of the Presidential Preference Election race. The hand count included ballots cast at the polls as well as ballots cast through the Early Ballot process.

A table depicting the outcome of the hand count audit is attached. Please note that the hand count produced some difference between the electronic count and the hand count. However, the differences are within the designated margin established by the Vote County Verification Committee.

If you require additional information, I will be more than happy to comply.

Respectfully submitted,

Gilberto Hoyos, Director Pinal County Elections

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# 2008 Pinal County Presidential Preference Election Audit Summary

### **Precincts Hand Count**

Precincts selected: 28 and 50

Precinct 28	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Democratic Party Candidates for President of the United	399	399	4
States			

Precinct 50	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Democratic Party Candidates for President of the United States	430	430	0

## **Early Ballot Audit**

Precincts selected: 26, 49, 12, 11, 19, 22, 53, and 63

	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Democratic Party	422	422	•
Candidates for	432	432	U
President of the United			
States			

### **TSX Early Ballot Audit**

Precincts selected: District 2 early voting satellite site

	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Democratic Party Candidates for President of the United States	9	9	0